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In re Patent Application of:  
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For: **APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR  
ALERTING GENERATOR FUNCTIONS IN  
AN ULTRASONIC SURGICAL SYSTEM**

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated December 29, 2004, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 16 of this paper.